

**FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
MARCH 2002**

State/County	Current Month			Fiscal Year (July 2001 To Date)		
				Monthly Average		Total Benefits
	Households	Persons	Benefits	Households	Persons	
State Total	155,202	380,121	\$29,636,156	146,433	358,182	\$244,404,153
Abbeville	1,004	2,216	173,150	937	2,096	1,416,269
Aiken	4,987	12,932	1,015,005	4,817	12,278	8,527,660
Allendale	1,257	3,102	248,241	1,243	3,044	2,162,095
Anderson	4,920	12,530	999,247	4,395	11,103	7,717,150
Bamberg	1,176	2,811	202,258	1,157	2,779	1,758,391
Barnwell	1,562	3,852	299,840	1,495	3,695	2,538,244
Beaufort	2,513	6,709	525,788	2,408	6,397	4,334,915
Berkeley	4,517	11,712	931,023	4,267	11,052	7,683,572
Calhoun	708	1,694	127,141	703	1,657	1,083,067
Charleston	10,033	25,063	1,910,697	9,613	24,104	16,075,966
Cherokee	2,464	6,118	484,710	2,285	5,607	3,864,929
Chester	1,841	4,622	366,959	1,660	4,122	2,909,727
Chesterfield	2,772	6,376	486,394	2,667	6,072	4,071,389
Clarendon	3,118	7,201	546,845	3,071	7,075	4,765,169
Colleton	2,288	5,780	419,429	2,209	5,554	3,563,325
Darlington	4,797	11,826	913,385	4,679	11,509	7,804,741
Dillon	2,702	6,685	512,737	2,659	6,558	4,397,380
Dorchester	2,667	6,927	540,876	2,564	6,598	4,529,832
Edgefield	1,078	2,573	184,311	1,050	2,499	1,585,691
Fairfield	1,556	3,569	285,863	1,439	3,315	2,360,997
Florence	6,852	16,838	1,300,929	6,652	16,380	11,097,357
Georgetown	3,286	8,152	639,248	3,074	7,609	5,234,949
Greenville	9,824	23,111	1,860,505	9,022	21,111	14,802,227
Greenwood	2,332	5,661	460,724	2,161	5,228	3,696,467
Hampton	1,193	3,234	235,465	1,147	3,085	1,945,599
Horry	8,138	19,383	1,551,416	7,422	17,791	12,305,601
Jasper	1,159	2,887	224,500	1,081	2,731	1,872,733
Kershaw	1,481	3,647	277,067	1,396	3,370	2,233,358
Lancaster	2,535	6,321	524,046	2,350	5,920	4,275,381
Laurens	2,695	6,598	504,650	2,490	6,084	4,075,521
Lee	1,877	4,413	335,158	1,804	4,286	2,801,822
Lexington	5,030	13,334	1,076,214	4,641	12,291	8,717,615
McCormick	587	1,207	92,288	553	1,156	757,953
Marion	3,501	7,749	571,617	3,355	7,564	4,836,512
Marlboro	2,096	4,850	368,458	2,022	4,684	3,121,722
Newberry	1,736	3,960	300,905	1,642	3,772	2,500,154
Oconee	1,734	4,280	315,540	1,593	3,882	2,498,193
Orangeburg	6,759	15,620	1,211,765	6,604	15,376	10,577,158
Pickens	2,017	4,993	375,695	1,862	4,506	2,935,551
Richland	9,651	24,592	1,974,287	8,946	22,851	16,122,656
Saluda	904	2,029	147,962	860	1,921	1,234,518
Spartanburg	6,430	15,579	1,214,209	5,934	14,340	9,729,060
Sumter	6,097	14,704	1,131,748	5,731	13,877	9,376,328
Union	1,469	3,202	239,289	1,351	2,945	1,919,633
Williamsburg	3,441	8,100	594,537	3,330	7,818	4,965,220
York	4,418	11,379	934,035	4,092	10,489	7,620,356

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